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PART I.

Notifications by the Dewan to His Highness the Maha Raja of Mysore.

NOTIFICATION.

HIS HIGHNESS THE MAHA RAJA notifies with the deepest regret to the Chiefs and people of Mysore the sad intelligence of the death at Madras on the night of the 20th instant of Cettipuniam Veeravalli Rangacharlu, C. I E., Dewan of Mysore.

By the death of this valued public servant, HIS HIGHNESS THE MAHA RAJA feels that he has been deprived of an able, faithful and devoted counsellor and that the people of the State have lost a true and sympathetic friend.

As a mark of respect to the memory of the deceased Dewan, HIS HIGHNESS THE MAHA RAJA directs that all the Courts and Public Offices throughout the State shall be closed on Monday and Tuesday, the 29th and 30th instant.

By Order of His Highness the Maha Raja,

R. VIJAYINDRA RAO,
Secretary.

21*st January* 1883.

The 2nd November 1882.

No. 120.—It is hereby notified for general information that the annual auction sales of sandalwood, the produce of Mysore, will be sold in the undermentioned places on the dates specified against each, by the Deputy Commissioners and Forest Officers of the respective Districts :—

Hassan	29th January 1883 ..	250	Tons more or less.

Terms of Sale.—Those notified in the *Mysore Gazette* No. 48 of the 5th December 1874, and will also be read out at the time of sale. The term of credit allowed for payment of sums due for wood purchased at Hunsúr, Seringapatam, Nagar, Tirthahalli, Chikmagalur and Hassan will however terminate on the 26th March 1883.

The 9th January 1883.

No. 11.—Tenders are invited before 31st January 1883 for unloading from Railway wagons and storing at Bangalore Station, Mysore State Railway, about 6,900 tons of permanent way materials consisting of about 3,720 tons of rails and fittings and 3,080 tons of sleepers.

Tenders which should specify rate per ton for unloading and storing to be sent in sealed covers marked "Tender for unloading stores" and to be accompanied by a deposit of Rs. 100.

Any additional information required as to dates of arrival of stores, &c., may be obtained at the Office of the Manager of the Mysore State Railway between the hours of 11 A. M. and 5 P. M.

No. 15.—It is hereby notified for public information that the lac contract of the Bangalore District jungles, including those attached to the Forest Department, for the official years 1883—84, 1884—85 and 1885—86, *i. e.* from 1st April 1883 to 31st March 1886, will be sold by public competition at 12 o'clock noon on the 8th of March 1883, in the District Office at Bangalore.

2. The highest bidder, per year, for three years, shall, on the bid being knocked down to him, produce and pay down a deposit consisting of either currency notes or ready money, equal to the amount of 6 khists or monthly instalments ; each of such instalments being equal to $\frac{1}{12}$th of the year's bid or or $\frac{1}{36}$th of the amount of the entire contract. If he fail to do this, the contract will be resold at once at his risk as to any loss that may thereby be caused to Government.

3. The accepted bidder shall enter on his contract on the 1st April 1883, and shall pay his first monthly khist or instalment on or before the 15th May 1883, and subsequent monthly instalments on or before the 15th of each successive month ; such monthly payments being made without reference to the amount deposited, which will be taken in payment of the last 6 instalments on the expiration of the contract.

4. Local cess at the prescribed rate will be charged on the monthly instalments to be paid by the contractor.

5. Should there be failure or delay in the payment of the said instalments for two consecutive months, the contract will be liable to be cancelled summarily, and will be resold at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, irrespective of the deposit amount, which will be forfeited to Government.

The 19th January 1883.

No. 21.—Tenders are hereby invited for the exclusive privilege of selling gánjá and any preparation thereof, in the District of Bangalore including the Town of Bangalore, for three years, *viz.*, from 1st April 1883 to 31st March 1886, subject to the conditions hereinafter set forth.

2. Each tender must specify the annual amount offered, and must be accompanied by a deposit of Rs. 50 in cash, and enclosed in a cover superscribed with the words "Tender for the exclusive privilege of selling gánjá and any preparation thereof in the Bangalore District."

3. The tenders must be delivered at the Office of the Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore District, on or before noon of the 8th March 1883 when they will be opened by the Deputy Commissioner in the presence of the applicants. The applicant whose tender may be selected by the Deputy Commissioner for recommendation to the Dewan, will be required to deposit at once in cash or in Government securi-

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ties, a further sum equal to one-twelfth (or one month's instalment) of the amount of the annual rent tendered; failing which, the deposit made with the tender will be forfeited.

4. When the decision of the Dewan is announced, the deposits made by the applicants whose tenders have been rejected, will be thereupon returned to them on their application. The Dewan reserves to himself the power of rejecting the highest or any tender without assigning any reason.

5. The party whose tender may be accepted shall, within 8 days after the Dewan's decision has been communicated to him, deposit with the Deputy Commissioner, a sum in cash or Government securities duly endorsed, which, with the sums previously deposited under para 3, shall be equal to one-fourth of the amount of the annual rent tendered; and shall execute an agreement in the usual form on proper stamp, binding himself to conform to the conditions hereinafter set forth; and if he fails or refuses to sign the agreement, or to make the deposit required, the deposits already made will be forfeited to Government, and the lease otherwise disposed of.

Conditions.

I. The contract shall not be transferable, except with the approval of the Deputy Commissioner.

II. For the purposes of this contract, Government may decline to recognize any representative agent or partner appointed or taken by the contractor during the period of the contract, unless such representative agent or partner shall have been first approved of by the Deputy Commissioner of the District for the time being.

III. The contract amount shall be paid by the contractor into the District Treasury at Bangalore by equal monthly instalments, together with local cesses thereon, at the rate of one anna per rupee, on or before the 20th day of each month. In case of default in the payment of any of the instalments, as aforesaid, it shall be lawful for the Deputy Commissioner of the District for the time being, to declare the deposit forfeited, to order the farm to be taken under Government management at the contractor's risk, or to declare the lease forfeited, and to resell it at the contractor's risk and loss, and further to recover all arrears with interest at 6 per cent per annum by the attachment and sale of his property, personal and real.

IV. The number of shops for the sale of gánjá and its preparations and the places at which they are to be kept shall be determined by the Deputy Commissioner, and the contractor shall engage to sell gánjá and its preparations only at the places so fixed. The Deputy Commissioner shall be at liberty to make any alterations in the number and localities of the shops that he may from time to time consider necessary, or to close any shop without any claims for compensation on the part of the contractor.

V. The retail vendors nominated by the contractor will be furnished by him with licenses in the prescribed form, duly countersigned by the Deputy Commissioner; but no separate fees shall be leviable for such licenses on account of Government.

VI. The contractor shall sell gánjá and its preparations only to such licensed vendors, and shall use his best endeavours to secure on the part of the persons appointed by him to the charge of retail shops, a strict adherence to the provisions of the engagements entered into by them respectively; and on its coming to his knowledge that a wilful breach of those provisions has been committed, he shall bring the circumstances to the notice of the Deputy Commissioner, and dismiss the offender from his service.

VII. The gánjá sold shall be of good quality, and not be adulterated; and the contractor shall always keep on hand at least one month's supply of gánjá.

VIII. The price at which gánjá is sold by retail shall not exceed a maximum of 10 annas per seer of 24 tolas. More than 4 tolas weight of gánjá shall not be sold to the same person on the same day except for medical purposes, on passes issued by a Magistrate.

IX. The contractor shall, on the requisition of the Revenue authorities, cause all the shops for the sale of gánjá on or adjacent to the line of march to be closed, while a Regiment or Detachment of European soldiers is passing by and during its temporary halt in the vicinity, and no compensation shall be claimable by him for any loss that may be occasioned thereby.

X. Whenever required, the contractor shall render a true and correct account of the sales at each shop.

XI. Disorderly conduct and irregular transactions in the shops shall not be permitted.

XII. For any infringement of the above conditions, the contractor holds himself liable to a fine not exceeding Rs. 100 to be levied at the discretion of the Deputy Commissioner, and to a forfeiture of his contract, if deemed necessary by him.

Further particulars can be had on application at the Deputy Commissioner's Office.

No. 32.—It is hereby notified for public information that the undermentioned jodi village which has been duly attached in satisfaction of the arrears of revenue due to Government (as shown in the subjoined statement) by the said jodidars, will be sold by public auction at the place and on the date mentioned in the annexed statement. The sale will commence at 11 A M. on the date specified, and the village will be knocked down to the highest bidder without reserve.

2. Provided that when a village is divided into separate recognized vrittis, the Deputy Commissioner may at his option, instead of selling the village as a whole, sell each vritti separately.

3. The purchaser will be required to deposit 25 per cent of the purchase money at the time of sale, and where the remainder of the purchase money may not be paid within fifteen days from the day of sale, the money so deposited shall be liable to forfeiture.

4. When such deposit shall not be made, nor the remaining purchase money paid up, the lands shall be re-sold at the expense and risk of the first purchaser.

5. Persons bidding at the sale may be required to state whether they bid on their own account or as agents, and in the latter case to deposit a written authority signed by their principals, otherwise their bids may be rejected.

6. The sale shall be stayed, if the defaulter, or any other person acting on his behalf, or claiming an interest in the land, tenders the full amount of the arrears of revenue with the interest and other charges; provided such tender be made before sunset on the day previous to that appointed for the sale.

7. The sale of the property will not become absolute until the sale has been confirmed by the Dewan.

8. Purchasers having completed the payment of the purchase money will, as soon as the sale has been confirmed by the Dewan, be placed in immediate possession and the village will be registered in the name of the purchaser, and a certificate of sale signed and sealed by the Deputy Commissioner will be granted to him. It is to be distinctly understood that the Government are not responsible for errors of description and in estimated extent.

9. Provided parties deeming themselves aggrieved by the sale shall be at liberty to appeal to the Dewan within 30 days from the day of sale, and the purchase shall be conditional on the final order in such appeal.

District.	Taluk.	Hobli.	Village.	Names of Jodidars.	Estimated Extent.		Estimated Gross Rental or Deriz.			Quit-Rent payable annually to Government.			Arrears of Government Revenue for which Village is to be sold.			Date of Sale, &c.
					A.	C.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	
Kolar	Chintamani.	Chintamani.	Konga Timmanahalli (Jodi)	1. Annaiyachar. 2. Krishnachar.	330	80	151	2	8	50	0	0	297	2	5	5th March 1883, at the Village before the Amildar.

The 22nd January 1883.

No. 23.—It is hereby notified for the information of the public that, pending the general revision of the Travellers' Bungalow Establishments in the Province, the 1st Class Travellers' Bungalow at Banavar has been temporarily reduced to the 2nd Class, and the 2nd Class Bungalow at Kadur raised to the 1st Class.

No. 24.—Kesavaiengar, Amildar, Shikarpur Taluk, Shimoga District, is granted five days' privilege leave from such date as he may have availed himself of the same.

No. 25.—Mr. W. E. A. James, Assistant Superintendent, Mysore Revenue Survey, has been granted an extension of leave for five months on medical certificate, by Her Majesty's Secretary of State for India.

No. 26.—Mir Kamaluddin Alikhan, Acting Amildar, Koppa Taluk, Kadur District, is granted 24 days' privilege leave of absence from such date as he may avail himself of the same.

The 23rd January 1883.

No. 27.—Mr. C. Soob Rao, Officiating Deputy Commissioner, delivered over, and Mr. P. N. Krishna Murti, Deputy Commissioner, received, charge of the Tumkur District and Treasury, on the forenoon of the 19th January 1883.

The 25th January 1883.

No. 28.—Mr. C. Madaiya, Revenue Assistant Commissioner, is transferred to the Kadur District, to be in charge of the District Treasury until further orders.

The 26th January 1883.

No. 29.—Under the provisions of Section 6 of Act X of 1870 (Land Acquisition Act), it is hereby declared that the undermentioned house situated in the Fort at Mysore is required for public (Palace) purposes:—

Boundaries.

House bounded on the east by Palace Karohatti.

South by house tenanted by Volabagal Puttappa.

West by Bidadi Daffedar Javanaiya's house.

North by lane near Biddhatti, Karohatti. The house measures about 40 feet east and west and 36 feet north and south, and is said to belong to Srinivasajois and is now in the occupation of Torayar Linga.

No. 30.—Mr. E. C. Shanmugavela Pille, Revenue Assistant Commissioner, is transferred to the Bangalore District, to be in charge of the District Treasury.

No. 31.—The transfer of "Koppal" village, Bale Firka, from the late Lakvalli to the Chikmagalur Taluk, which was notified in Notification No. 131, dated 21st November 1882, is cancelled.

2. The village of Dasarahosahalli of the Ubrani Sammat is transferred from the Tarikere Taluk to the Channagiri Taluk.

No. 32.—Krishnasamiaiengar, Munsiff of Kolar, is granted privilege leave for one month on half pay from the 15th January 1883.

By Order,

R. VIJAYINDRA RAO,
Secretary.